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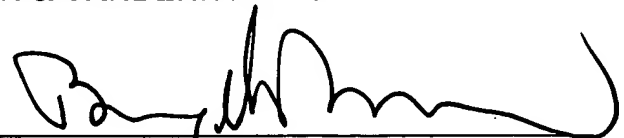
**SURRENDER OF ORIGINAL PATENT GRANT**

The applicant in the above-identified application hereby surrenders his original patent grant U.S. Patent No. 5,779,856 which is the subject of this reissue application.

Respectfully submitted,

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